

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Group Art Unit: 2171

BURROWS et al.

Examiner: Filipczyk, Marcin R.

Application No. 09/764,011

Filed: January 17, 2001

For: METHOD FOR CREATING A

BALANCED BINARY TREE

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a), the undersigned attorney, on behalf of applicant(s), hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to and including July 5, 2003, to file a response to the Office Action of March 5, 2003, which carried an original response date of June 5, 2003.

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

A check in the amount of \$110.00 for the one-month extension fee is enclosed. Any additional fee which may be due or any other charges in connection with the submission of this response should be charged to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed for that purpose.

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